Determining Support for Humanitarian Interventions: Prospect Theory vs Cues

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The codebook below presents the names and coding of the variables from the two datasets: experiment1.dta; experiment2.dta

*Exp1 indicates that the variable is present in the dataset for Experiment 1

*Exp2 indicates that the variable is present in the dataset for Experiment 2

Variable Names	Description and Coding
age_categorical (Exp1) (Exp2)	Age of the Respondent: 1 - 18-29; 2 - 30-39; 3 - 40-49; 4- 50-59; 5 - 60+
gender (Exp1) (Exp2)	Gender. 1 Females, 2 Males, 3 Other
worked_for_polcampaign (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 1. Worked for a political campaign. 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
donate_money (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 2. Donate money to a political campaign. 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
served_in_acommunityboard (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 3. Served in a community board. 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
community_problem (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 4. Involved in a community problem. 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
contact_government (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 5. Contacted a government official . 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
participated_in_protest (Exp1)	Political Awareness Item 6. Participated in a political protest. 1 to 5. Higher values indicate more often.
participated_in_rally (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 7. Participated in a political gathering or rally. 1 to 5 Higher values indicate more often
politicalinterest_domestic (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 8. How closely do you follow national politics? 1 to 5. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with statement.
politicalinterest_international (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness Item 9. How closely do you follow major events in foreign countries/ the world? 1 to 5. Higher values indicate stronger interest
politicalawareness (Exp1) (Exp2)	Political Awareness: Additive Index created by the three items: Political Awareness Item 1 to Item 9. 1

	to 27. Higher values indicate more involvement and interest in politics.
Education (Exp1) (Exp2)	Educational level of the respondent: 1 Less than High School; 2 High School; 3 Some College; 4 College; 5 Graduate/Professional
Ethnicity (Exp1) (Exp2)	Ethnicity of the Respondent: 1 – Black; 2 – Asian; 3- White; 4 - Native American and Other; 5 - Biracial
Income (Exp1) (Exp2)	Income of the Respondent: 1 - Less than $25,000; 2 - $25,000 to $35,000; 3- $35,000 to $50,000; 4 - $50,000 to $75,000; 5 - $75,000 to $100,000; 6 - Over $100,000
political_views_categorical (Exp1) (Exp2)	Self-Identified Ideological Views: 1 – Liberal, 2 Moderate, 3 Conservative
party_affiliation_categorical (Exp1) (Exp2)	Self-Identified Party Affiliation: 1 – Democrat, 2 Independent, 3 Republican
Nationalism (Exp1) (Exp2)	To what extent do you agree that the United States is superior compared to other nations? 1 to 5. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
militarism1 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Militarism item 1: The best way a country can ensure its security is with the use of its military and security forces to discourage current and potential international challengers: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
militarism2 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Militarism item 2: The use of military force only makes problems worse: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
militarism3 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Militarism item 3: Going to war can be unfortunate, however, in many cases it is the only solution to an international crisis that is threatening vital national interests of your country: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
militarism (Exp1) (Exp2)	Militarism Additive Index created by the three items: militarism1, militarism2, and militarism3. 1 to 15. Higher values indicate more support for militarism.
internationalism1 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Internationalism 1: The United States needs to cooperate more with the United Nations in settling international disputes: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
Internationalism2 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Internationalism 2: The United States needs to play an active role in solving conflicts around the world: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.

Internationalism3 (Exp1) (Exp2)	Internationalism 3: The United States should primarily focus its efforts to take care of the well-being of Americans and not get involved in other nations' conflicts: 1 to 5 scale. Higher values indicate stronger agreement with the statement.
Internationalism (Exp1) (Exp2)	Internationalism Additive Index created by the three items: Internationalism1, Internationalism2, and Internationalism3. 1 to 15. Higher values indicate more support for internationalism.
moral_interventioncategory (Exp2)	To what extent do you agree or disagree that the United States has a moral obligation to intervene? Moral reasons for supporting intervention 1, 2, 3. Higher values = more support
security_interventioncategory (Exp2)	Do you agree/disagree that if the United States does NOT intervene its national security interests will suffer because instability will create a breeding ground for terrorists. Security reasons for supporting intervention 1, 2, 3. Higher values = more support
Treatments (Exp1) (Exp2)	Vignettes: *T1 Gains Frame No Cue *T2 Gains Frame Republican A *T3 Gains Frame Republican B *T4 Gains Frame Democrat A *T5 Gains Frame Democrat B *T6 Gains Frame Social A *T7 Gains Frame Social B *T8 Losses Frame No Cue *T9 Losses Frame Republican A *T10 Losses Frame Republican B *T11 Losses Frame Democrat A *T12 Losses Frame Democrat B *T13 Losses Frame Social A *T14 Losses Frame Social B
dvq27_aboria_n (Exp2)	Aboria DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq28_venezuela_n (Exp2)	Venezuela DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq29_cameroon_n (Exp2)	Cameroon DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq30_tariffs_n (Exp2)	Tariffs DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq31_disease_n (Exp2)	Asian Disease DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq27reversed_aboria (Exp1)	Aboria DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq28reversed_venezuela (Exp1)	Venezuela DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq29reversed_cameroon (Exp1)	Cameroon DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq30reversed_tariffs (Exp1)	Tariffs DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant
dvq31reversed_disease (Exp1)	Asian Disease DV – 0 Risk Averse; 1 – Risk Acceptant

Demriskaverse (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Treatment Groups with Democratic Cue endorsing the Risk-Averse plan: 1 Codes *T4 Gains Frame Democrat A and *T11 Losses Frame Democrat A; 0 the rest
demriskacceptant (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Democratic Cue endorsing the Risk-Acceptant plan: 1 Codes *T5 Gains Frame Democrat B and *T12 Losses Frame Democrat B; 0 the rest
repriskaverse (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Republican Cue endorsing the Risk-Averse plan: 1 Codes *T2 Gains Frame Republican A and *T9 Losses Frame Republican A; 0 the rest
repriskacceptant (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Republican Cue endorsing the Risk-Acceptant plan: 1 Codes *T3 Gains Frame Republican B and *T10 Losses Frame Republican B; 0 the rest
socialriskaverse (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Group Cue endorsing the Risk-Averse plan: 1 Codes *T6 Gains Frame Social A and *T13 Losses Frame Social A; 0 the rest
socialriskacceptant (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Group Cue endorsing the Risk-Acceptant plan: 1 Codes *T7 Gains Frame Social B and *T14 Losses Frame Social B; 0 the rest
dummygain (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Domain of Gains: 1 Codes all treatment groups in the Domain of Gains; 0 in the Domain of Losses
dummyloss (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with Domain of Losses: 1 Codes all treatment groups in the Domain of Losses; 0 in the Domain of Gains
nocue (Exp1) (Exp2)	Treatment Groups with No Cue endorsing any of the proposed plans. 1 Codes *T1 Gains Frame No Cue and *T8 Losses Frame No Cue; 0 the rest
dvq27_aboria_n_dem (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Aboria Scenario. Subset among Democratic respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq27_aboria_n_ind (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Aboria Scenario. Subset among Independent respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan

dvq27_aboria_n_rep (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Aboria Scenario. Subset among Republican respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq28_venezuela_n_dem (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Venezuela Scenario. Subset among Democratic respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq28_venezuela_n_ind (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Venezuela Scenario. Subset among Independent respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq28_venezuela_n_rep (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Venezuela Scenario. Subset among Republican respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq29_cameroon_n_dem (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Cameroon Scenario. Subset among Democratic respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq29_cameroon_n_ind (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Cameroon Scenario. Subset among Independent respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq29_cameroon_n_rep (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Cameroon Scenario. Subset among Republican respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq30_tariffs_n_dem (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Tariffs/Trade War Scenario. Subset among Democratic respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq30_tariffs_n_ind (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Tariffs/Trade War Scenario. Subset among Independent respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq30_tariffs_n_rep (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Tariffs/Trade War Scenario. Subset among Republican respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq31_disease_n_dem (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Asian Disease Scenario. Subset among Democratic respondents 1

	indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq31_disease_n_ind (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Asians Disease Scenario. Subset among Independent respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
dvq31_disease_n_rep (Exp2)	Binary Dependent Variable for the Asians Disease Scenario. Subset among Republican respondents 1 indicate support for the Risk-Acceptant plan and 0 indicates support for the Risk-Averse Plan
open_answers (Exp1)	Open answer by the student respondents in Experiment 1 in text format.